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# Church Search

## BREAKFAST 17

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EVERY SUNDAY 17TH SEPT - 22ND OCT  
9:30AM  
FIVE SWANS PUB



## Christian Union's Church Search Breakfast 2017

One of the most important things you will do during your time at Uni is choosing which local church to join. In Newcastle we are extremely blessed to have many gospel-centered churches and the Church Search Breakfast is a great opportunity for you to meet some of them.

Join us between **9:30-10:00am at The Five Swans Wetherspoons Pub (14 St Mary's Place, Newcastle upon Tyne NE1 7PG) each Sunday between the 17<sup>th</sup> September and the 22<sup>nd</sup> October.** There will be a free breakfast, but you will need to purchase any drinks. The churches detailed in this booklet will have a stall for you to visit, and will be more than happy to tell you about their church and take you to visit their morning service, if you want to give their church a go.

Local churches serve many functions that the CUs don't; the CUs are uniquely placed to share the good News of Jesus within our universities, but are no substitute to the discipleship, fellowship and all-round Godly providence found within the local church. The churches of Newcastle hugely support the mission of CUs and are the source of the majority of our growth in faith.

We recommend that you look through this booklet at the different Churches that are represented in our CUs and come to the breakfast with an idea of which Churches you might wish to visit each morning. Do look up the Church on their website or contact them via the details given.

We encourage you to come along to each breakfast, try out a few churches and then settle at one where you can get stuck in, grow and serve during your time at university.

For further information, Northumbria students contact:  
Tom Hooper (President) [thomas.hooper@northumbria.ac.uk](mailto:thomas.hooper@northumbria.ac.uk)  
Or [www.facebook.com/northumbriacu/](http://www.facebook.com/northumbriacu/)

Newcastle students contact:  
Nick Carter (President) [N.Carter1@newcastle.ac.uk](mailto:N.Carter1@newcastle.ac.uk)  
Or [www.newcastle-cu.com](http://www.newcastle-cu.com)

## Bethshan Church

**Service Time:** 10:30

**Contact:** Rob and Mary Lavender -  
mazlavender@gmail.com

07801 269947

**Website:** [www.bethshanchurch.net](http://www.bethshanchurch.net)

**Address:** HopeSpring Centre, Manor Road, Washington, NE37  
3BD

Bethshan is passionate about God, passionate about people. We are about building our lives around the person of Jesus, encountering His heart, being disciplined by His words, going on mission as His family, transforming through His kingdom. Students are an integral part of Bethshan, here are some things you can get involved in: worship, children's ministry, prayer room, social action projects, food bank, our school for teenagers in crisis, Student Costa Nights, small groups.

## Brunswick Methodist Church

**Service Time:** 10:45

**Contact:** Jill Foster - [foster\\_jill@ymail.com](mailto:foster_jill@ymail.com)  
07717 583258

**Website:** [Brunswickmethodist.org.uk](http://Brunswickmethodist.org.uk)

**Address:** Brunswick Methodist Church, Brunswick Place, NE1  
7BJ

We are a small and friendly Methodist Church. Our Sunday services are usually traditional in style and we meet afterwards for coffee where you can get to know others. We meet mid-week on Tuesday as students and young adults for bible study and on Thursday to cook and eat together, everyone is welcome.

## Christ Church Gosforth

**Service Time:** 16:00

**Contact:** Luke Parker - [luke@christchurchnewcastle.net](mailto:luke@christchurchnewcastle.net)  
07983 067565

**Website:** <http://christchurchgosforth.net/>

**Address:** Newcastle School for Boys, Senior Site, The Grove,  
Gosforth, NE6 5QF\*

Christ Church Gosforth meets on Sundays at 4pm. We would love to have students join us as we live out our core values of Word, Community & Mission. We hear God's word proclaimed each Sunday and talk about it afterwards. We're looking to grow our love for one another, particularly through midweek Home Groups, and over food on Sundays; and we're striving to tell people about Jesus wherever God has placed us. We are part of the Christ Church Newcastle network.

\*By kind permission of the Headmaster of Newcastle School for Boys.

## Christ Church Heaton

**Service Time:** 10:30

**Contact:** Luke Parker - [luke@christchurchnewcastle.net](mailto:luke@christchurchnewcastle.net)  
07983 067565

**Website:** <http://christchurchheaton.net/>

**Address:** People's Theatre, Stephenson Rd, Newcastle-upon-Tyne  
NE6 5QF

Christ Church Heaton is a thriving congregation with Word, Community and Mission our core values. The Bible is the authority for everything we do; we are a church family committed to loving one another; and longing to make Jesus known in our city. We love having students as part of our church family.

## City Church Newcastle

**Service Time:** 10:30

**Contact:** Tom Norrington - t.norra@hotmail.co.uk  
07512 761566

**Website:** [www.city-church.co.uk/](http://www.city-church.co.uk/)

**Address:** The Castle Gate, Melbourne Street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne,  
NE12JQ

City Church is a growing church family based right in the heart of the fantastic city of Newcastle upon Tyne, and we are all about enjoying God, making friends and changing lives. Part of the New Frontiers International network of churches.

## Cornerstone Church Newcastle

**Service Time:** 10:30

**Contact:** Andy Violet - andrewviolet@hotmail.co.uk  
07598 284462

**Website:** [www.cornerstonechurchnewcastle.co.uk](http://www.cornerstonechurchnewcastle.co.uk)

**Address:** 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Bambergh House, Market Street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, NE1 6BH

Cornerstone Church is a group of people who are seeking to know Jesus and make Jesus known. We aim to do this by living under the teaching of the Bible and allowing the Holy Spirit to teach and transform our lives. We seek to live this out in community with other church members and by playing a part in serving God as He reconciles the world back to Himself. That is the heart of Cornerstone Church; to be gospel-centred, spirit-led, on mission and a loving community. Please feel free to join us.

## Destiny Church North East

**Service Time:** 11:15

**Contact:** Daniel Brown - danbrown008@hotmail.com  
07583 107082

**Website:** [www.destinynortheast.com](http://www.destinynortheast.com)

**Address:** Bewick Hall (level 2), City Library, Newcastle-upon-Tyne,  
NE1 8AX

Our church desires to build a community around the belief that Jesus changes lives for the better when we ask him into our lives and we do this through 1) Encouraging people into wider church community 2) Making space for discussions on topics that matter, regardless of the different opinions 3) Caring and supporting students in any way possible. We want students studying all sorts of courses and at all different levels in their Christian walk. There are plenty of opportunities to get involved, for example serving through music, PA/graphics, and streetwork, growing the work of our church in Newcastle!

## Elim Church Newcastle

**Service Time:** 10:30

**Contact:** Amy Lawton - amylawton@hotmail.co.uk

**Website:** [www.elimnewcastle.org.uk](http://www.elimnewcastle.org.uk)

**Address:** Newcastle Dream Centre, Heaton Road, Newcastle,  
NE6 1SB

Elim Church Newcastle is a church that makes a positive impact on the city of Newcastle-upon-Tyne and beyond, a place where all individuals feel welcomed and can grow and flourish in their faith. We're a group of people whose desire is to show that Jesus Christ is very much alive and at work in the lives of normal, ordinary people like us. Elim Newcastle has an exciting community of students and young adults built on fun, laughter and fellowship. Whether it's meals out, beach trips or connect group, there's always something going on, including an annual weekend away.

## Gateshead Presbyterian Church

**Service Times:** 10:30 & 18:00

**Contact:** Peter Lawley - peterlawley@doctors.org.uk  
07888 663661

**Website:** [www.gatesheadpres.org.uk](http://www.gatesheadpres.org.uk)

**Address:** Lobley Hill Community Centre, 47 Scafell Gardens,  
Lobley Hill, Gateshead, NE11 9LS

GPC seeks to make known the good news of God's free grace, to nurture the family of faith and to enjoy together the unsearchable riches of Christ. We are thankful to God that students can expect a simple worship service, the centrality of the Word of God and the warmth of Christian fellowship. Following the morning service there is the free offer of lunch and lifts are available to and from Newcastle to suit your needs. We meet outside Newcastle Student Union every morning for 10:00 and for the evening service please just ring Peter to organise a lift☺.

## Heaton Baptist Church

**Service Time:** 10:30

**Contact:** Jonny Potts - jonnypotts@live.com  
07539 427604

**Website:** [www.heatonbaptist.org](http://www.heatonbaptist.org)

**Address:** Heaton Road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, NE6 5HN

Rooted in God, reaching out to others, HBC is a lively, diverse fellowship of all ages that wants to see God break into hearts and lives of people in our communities. Join us as we worship, pray and study God's word together and seek to apply His truth to our lives. We encourage students to get involved in church life: community work, evangelism, youth and children's work and worship groups. We'd love for you to meet a church family through Adopt-a-Student, so you can meet people outside of the student bubble! We weekly run student lifegroups and lunches for the initial weeks after the morning service, so please come and say hello!

## Hillsong UK Newcastle

**Service Times:** 11:00, 15:00 & 17:30

**Contact:** Emily Ord - emilyord1995@gmail.com

**Website:** [www.hillsong.com/uk/newcastle/](http://www.hillsong.com/uk/newcastle/)

**Address:** Westgate Hall, Corporation St, Newcastle-upon-Tyne,  
NE4 5QD

As a local church we are a community of everyday people, seeking to embrace our city and nation with the love, hope and goodness of a compassionate and faithful God. We welcome you and trust that you will be blessed, encouraged and inspired.

As a student, Young Adults at Hillsong is designed for you! It is all about empowering the emerging generation to influence in every sphere of life. Our heart is to spur you on to build a greater personal relationship with Jesus and His cause. Join us for our parties, connect groups or monthly gatherings!

## Hope City

**Service Time:** 09:00 & 11:00

**Contact:** Steph Young - [steph.young@hopecity.co.uk](mailto:steph.young@hopecity.co.uk)  
07828 009925

**Website:** [www.hopecity.church/newcastle/](http://www.hopecity.church/newcastle/)

**Address:** 85 City Road, Newcastle Upon Tyne, NE1 2AQ

Our services are full of life with great worship, inspiring and practical teaching and an exciting programme for students and young adults. We have a big heart to connect each and every person to the life changing message of Jesus Christ through the power of God's community, this church. Packed full of families, students, young adults and everyone else –you're bound to feel right at home!

## International Harvest Church

- Service Time:** 10:30
- Contact:** Helen Wilson - hlw3113@hotmail.co.uk
- Website:** [www.iharvest.org.uk](http://www.iharvest.org.uk)
- Address:** International Harvest Church, Stanhope Street,  
Newcastle-upon-Tyne, NE4 5HJ

FAITH. FAMILY. FUN. That's how we'd sum up International Harvest Church. We're a bunch of people of different ages and stages of life but we're all passionate about God and compassionate toward people. We're happy we've got many nations represented in the family mix too, so wherever you've come from, you'll always feel at home. You'll find us every single Sunday morning from 10.30am to 12.00pm at our building on Stanhope Street. Our city-wide groups also meet every week, bringing people together in discipleship relationships to talk about how God can impact our lives in a relevant way.

## Jesmond Methodist Church

- Service Time:** 10:45
- Contact:** Alison Wilkinson - [alison.wilkinson@methodist.org.uk](mailto:alison.wilkinson@methodist.org.uk)  
07792 257273
- Website:** [www.jmc-newcastle.org.uk](http://www.jmc-newcastle.org.uk)
- Address:** St George's Terrace, Jesmond, Newcastle-upon-Tyne,  
NE2 2DL

JMC is a growing charismatic Methodist church in the heart of Jesmond, 20-minute walk from town, and the home of Jesmond Street Pastors. Our church family, representing many nations, offers a warm welcome to all students, providing hospitality and lunches throughout the year, lasting friendships and support, plus opportunities to serve. Our services are led by our worship band and are informal in style, yet we are serious about worshipping our awesome God, inspiring preaching and teaching, following Jesus, living in the power of the Spirit, growing in our discipleship, and sharing our faith.

## Jesmond Parish Church

**Service Times:** 10:45 & 18:30

**Contact:** Matt Elder - matt.elder@church.org.uk  
0191 212 5125

**Website:** www.jpc.org.uk

**Address:** Eskdale Terrace, Jesmond, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, NE2  
4DJ

We believe the greatest need of anyone is to receive God's forgiveness, made possible through the finished work of Jesus who died on the cross for our sin. We seek to share that news with the community around us and remind each other regularly of this Gospel. The Bible is God's word to us today; being at the centre of all we do, we encourage all students to get involved in Focus, our undergraduate weekly meetings. JPC unites Christians from different backgrounds to live, work and witness together for the glory of the Lord Jesus Christ through the power of his Spirit. Sunday evening Student Suppers are also a great way to encourage each other.

## Life Vineyard Church

**Service Time:** 10:30

**Contact:** Ross Pembroke -  
ross@tynesidevineyard.org.uk  
07713 811655

**Website:** <http://lifevineyard.church/>

**Address:** Gosforth Civic Theatre, Regent Farm Rd, Newcastle-upon-  
Tyne, NE3 3HD

Life Vineyard Church is a vibrant, friendly and welcoming Church with around 250 members. As most churches, we have all ages and stages of people and a student population of around 30. Our student small group runs throughout term-time where we come together to worship, study and explore the bible and of course pray for each other. We strongly believe that our students are not only the future of the church but that they are men and women that God has a plan and a purpose for right now and we are passionate about equipping and encouraging our students to step into all that God has for them.

## St. George's Church

**Service Times:** 10:30 & 17:30

**Contact:** Connor Welch -  
connor.welch@saintgeorgeschurch.org.uk  
07817 529007

**Website:** [www.saintgeorgeschurch.org.uk](http://www.saintgeorgeschurch.org.uk)

**Address:** 1-8 Inskip, Gateshead, Tyne and Wear, NE8 4AJ

A HTB network church, with a vision to play our part in the evangelisation of Gateshead, Newcastle and Tyneside, the revitalisation of the church and the transformation of our local community. We launched 1 year ago and have a specific focus on Students, Youth and Young families. We are a church that loves and accepts everyone. We'd Love to meet you, Connor and Jen (Student Workers at St Georges).

## St. Luke's Church

**Service Times:** 11:00 & 18:30

**Contact:** Rob Douglas - robert.m.douglas@btinternet.com  
07583 905299

**Website:** [www.stlukesnewcastle.co.uk](http://www.stlukesnewcastle.co.uk)

**Address:** Claremont Street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, NE2 4AH

St Luke's is a charismatic, evangelical Anglican Church with a relaxed communion service every Sunday morning and an unscripted Holy Spirit led meeting in the evening. We are a New Wine Network Church and Fusion friendly! We are a Fresh Expressions Initiative, which means the C of E gives us freedom to think outside the box. We work with ex-offenders as well as students and love our long running connection with the CU. We're grateful to God for our gifted worship leaders and love mingling the best of the old hymns with cutting edge worship songs from around the world.

# Where is it?

